THE MARIAN '47

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"Youth Looks to the Future, Their Future"

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The Senior Class

St. Mary's High School

Pittsburg, Kansas

Dedication

With respect and admiration we dedicate this seventh edition of "The Marian" to you, the devoted Alumni of St. Mary's High, who have gone out to take your places in the world. May your good example inspire us, the class of '47 to follow in your footsteps that we, too, may become worthy members of S.M.H. Alumni Association and honorable men and women of tomorrow.

The class of '47 is the eighth in the history of St. Mary's and their graduation brings the number of alumni beyond the two hundred mark. The family is growing, and thanks to several marriages, is multiplying.

Some of the St. Mary's Alumni family have strayed away, but few of those who are gone from our midst forget the intimate friendships nutured in high school.

A majority of the graduates still live in Pittsburg. They are taking their places in the normal activity of their parish. Many have expressed a desire to form an association of the alumni whereby activities in their own circle would retie the many knots of friendship in a closer knit, and present an opportunity to act as an integral unit in advancing the interest and influence of their parish and school. The war prevented the organization of an alumni association for some five years.

A dinner party held in mid-February became the inaugural event of the St. Mary's Alumni Association. Its heartening success presented a pleasant indication of the future of the alumni family activities. At the dinner party officers were elected to proceed with plans for the association. Frank Grimaldi, '42, was voted president, Jim O'Connor, '45, vice-president, and Laura Mae Longerot, '41, secretary-treasurer.

St. Mary's High School
Pittsburg, Kansas

March 17, 1947.

Monsignor P. McCullough,
St. Mary's Church,
Pittsburg, Kansas.

Dear Monsignor:

We wish to express our appreciation and gratitude for your spiritual and moral guidance throughout our grade and high school career. Through your hard work and unselfishness you have provided for us one of the finest Catholic high schools in this state. You have guided us to follow the straight and narrow path to good Catholic manhood and womanhood.

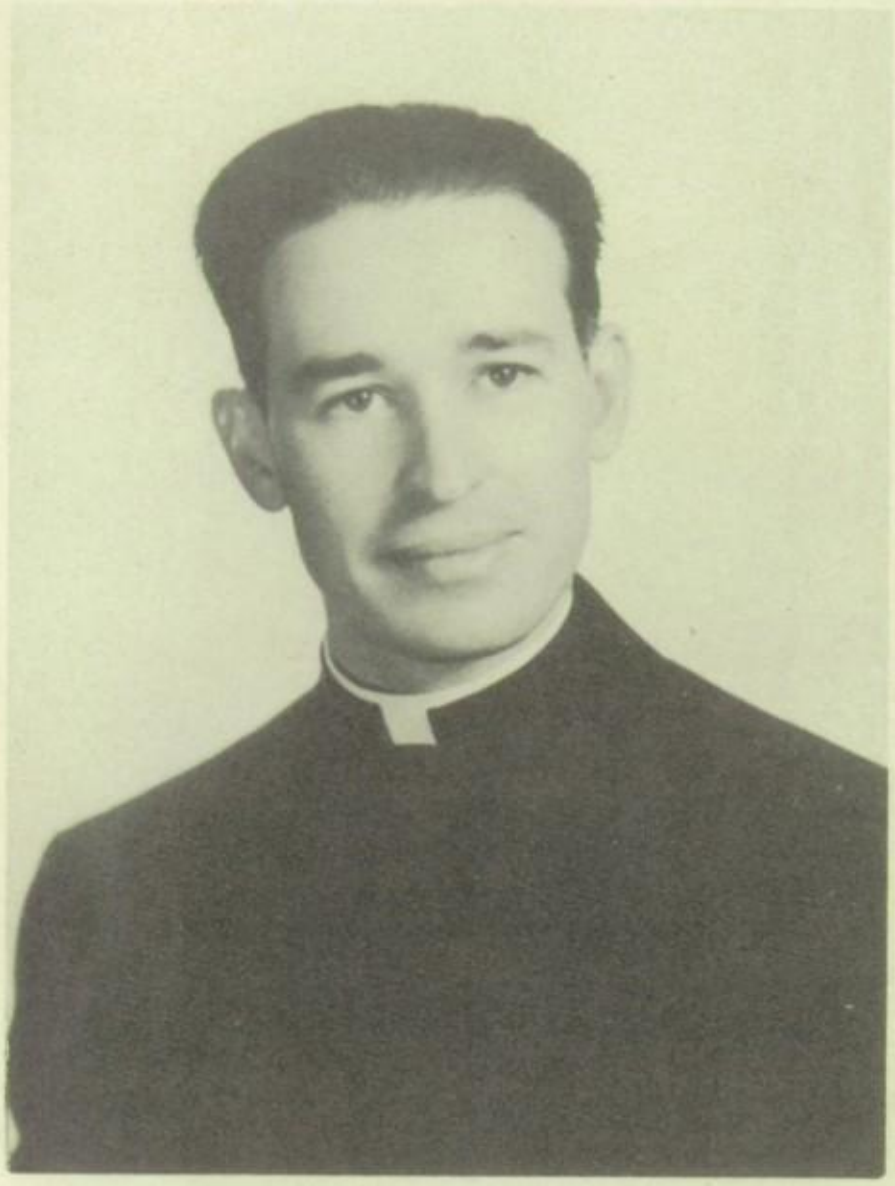
In our years after school we will remember your guidance in the things that count so much in future life. It is not alone the knowledge we have acquired that we appreciate so much as it is the Catholic principles of doing and acting.

We, all of us, from the depths of our hearts wish to thank you.

Gratefully yours,

The Senior Class

Faculty



Father Landis came to St. Mary's in November, 1946. We have appreciated his interest and effort to help us shape our lives to spiritual and social perfection. We cannot express the gratitude we feel but we trust that his zeal will be rewarded in our future successful lives.

Rt. Rev. Msgr. McCullough

Rev. Clifford Landis

Sister M. Linus, M.A., Principal
Religion - Latin - English

Sister M. Flavia, B.A.
History - Gen. Science - Biology

Sister M. Ferdinand, B.A.
Religion - Mathematics - Sciences

Sister M. Euphrasia, B.S.
Home Economics - Glee Club - Art

Sister M. Martin, B.A.
Religion - English - Spanish

Sister M. Berchmans, B.A.
Religion - Commerce

Adolph Spigarelli, B.S.
Industrial Arts - Physical Ed.

Co-Editors: Betty Coyle, Betty Bladl, and Sponsor, Sister Linus, are busy at work on the annual.

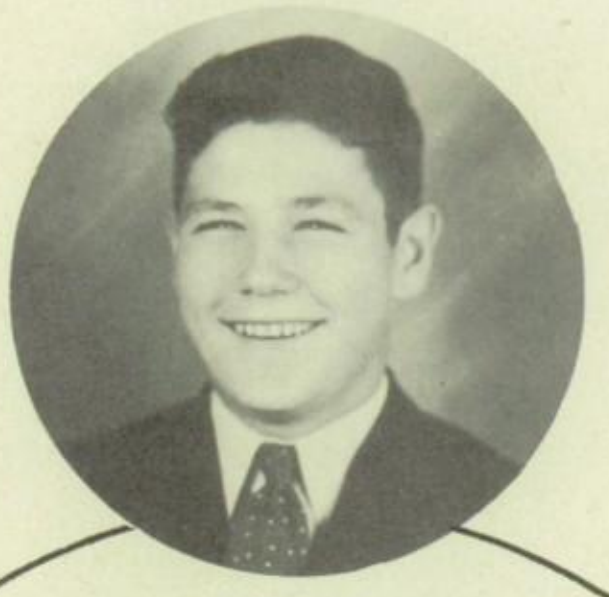
Yearbook Staff

MARIAN STAFF

Co-Editors: Betty Bladl and Betty Coyle
Assistant Editors: Patricia Tierney, Blanche Murry
Angelene Crespino
Business Manager: Pat McCall
Assistant Business Managers: Betty Leach, Sandy Benso, Pat O'Connell
Sports Editor: Jim Mooney
Snaps: Patricia Burman, David Jones
Typists: Betty Bladl, Betty Coyle, Betty Leach, Patricia Tierney

MARIAN

Senior Class Officers



GENE FIELDS
Choir 1; Altar Boy 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Football 3, 4; Latin Club 1; Class Officer 4; Junior Athletic Association 4; Chembiogen Club 4; Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4.

PAT O'CONNELL
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Altar Boy 1, 2, 3; Football 3, 4; Latin Club 1; Class Officer 4; Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4.

SENIORS
Motto:
"Finished Yet Beginning"
Colors: Blue and White
Sponsor: Sister M. Linus
Flower: Red Rose

ARTHUR PINSART
Latin Club 1; Basketball 1, 2; Football 3, 4; Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4; "Marianette" staff; Class Officer 4; Choir.

BLANCHE MURRY
Latin Club 1, 2; Dramatics 1, 2, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; "Marianette" staff 4; "Marian" staff 4; Class Officer 4; Junior Athletic Association 4; Quill and Scroll 4.

IN MEMORIAM

Veldona Wattelet

MEMORIES

Memories of your "Good Morning, Mother" as you arise,
The laughter and twinkle in your big blue eyes—
The sunshine you spread all through our home
Without you, Veldona, I feel so alone.
Our joy and sorrow, together we would share,
That you understood, dear little pal, made life's trials easier to bear.
I can hear, "Where's Mother?" as you came in at five,
I can almost feel you with me, as if you were still alive.
I can see you kneeling in prayer, and hear your "Mother, come tuck me in bed,"
And on your pillow I see your darling curly head.
On Sunday morning to Mass we would go, to visit our Lord, you loved Him so.
God sent you to me, He loved you too, He wanted you back as your mission was through,
So I pray day and night, when my work here is through,
He'll take me to heaven and again I'll be with you.
So until then, dear Veldona, all I have left is "Sweet Memories of you."

—Mrs. John Wattelet

Seniors

SANDY ANN BENSO
Co-Editor of "The Marianette;" "The Marian" staff, Dramatics 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Class Officer 2; Basketball 2.

BETTY BLADL
Co-Editor of "The Marian," "The Marianette" staff, Glee Club 1, 2; Latin Club 1, 2; Junior Athletic Association, Dramatics 2, 4.

JACK BRAITHWAITE
Football 2, 3; Chembiogen Club 2; Altar Boy 2, 3; Latin 1, 2; Dramatics 1, 2, 3.

MARGARET BOWERS
Glee Club 1, 2; Latin Club 3; Spanish 1; Speech 3; Cheerleader 2, 3; Dramatics 3.

BETTY JUNE COYLE
Co-Editor of "The Marian," "Marianette" staff 4; Class Officer 3; Sodality Officer 4; Glee Club 2; Speech 1, 2; Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4; Quill and Scroll 4, Chembiogen Club 4.

PATRICIA BURMAN
Latin Club 1, 2; "The Marian" staff 4; "The Marianette" staff 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Dramatics 2, 4.

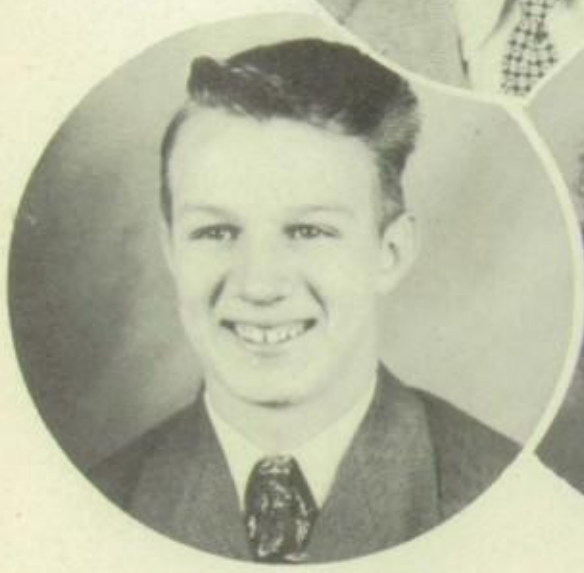
ANGELENE CRESPINO
Glee Club 3, 4; Choir 3, 4; "Marian" staff 4; Class Officer 1; Gym 1, 2; Dramatics 3, 4; Speech 2.

BETTY MAE CRONISTER
Choir 1; Latin Club 1, 2; Dramatics 2.

DON DEGASPERI
Choir 1, 2, 3; Latin Club 1; Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4.

Seniors

JOE DERUY
Basketball 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Choir; Class Officer 1, 2, 3; Sodality Officer 4; Athletic Association Officer 3, 4; Altar Boy; Chembiogen Club 4; Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4; Quill & Scroll 4.



PETE ESCH
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Choir; Altar Boy 1, 2; Class Officer 1; Dramatics 1, 2, 4; Chembiogen Club 4; Latin Club 1, 2.

BETTY GARRISON
Glee Club 2; Dramatics 2, 4; Quill and Scroll 4.

EDWARD GARRISON
Chembiogen Club 3; Dramatics 3, 4.

DAVID JONES
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; "The Marian" staff 4; "Marianette" staff 4; Altar Boy 1, 2; Choir 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1, 2; Quill and Scroll 4; Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4.

HELEN KONEC
Glee Club 1, 2; Latin Club 1, 2; "Marianette" staff 4; Dramatics 2, 4.

OTTO KELLER
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Choir 1, 2; Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1.

BETTY LEACH
"Marianette" staff 4; "Marian" staff, 4; Choir, Latin Club 1, 2; Class Officer 2; Glee Club 1, 2; Speech 2; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3; Quill and Scroll 4; Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4; Chembiogen Club 4.

PAT McCALL
Football 4; Class Officer 1; Choir; Altar Boy 1, 2, 4; Dramatics 1, 2, 4; "Marian" staff 4; "Marianette" staff 4; Chembiogen Club 2.

Seniors

JAMES MOONEY
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball Captain 3; Football 3, 4; "Marian" staff 4; Class Officer 2, 3; Dramatics 3, 4.

JOE RIZZIO
Football 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Dramatics 3, 4.

THERESA O'DONNELL
Latin Club 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2 Dramatics 2.

BILL POPE
Football 1, 2, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; "Marianette" staff 3, 4; Sodality Officer 4; Quill and Scroll 4.

BOBBY SMITH
Latin Club 1, 2; Choir 4; Altar Boy 1, 2; Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer KSSU 3; Junior Athletic Association 4; "Marianette" staff 2, 4.

GEORGE SHEWARD
Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1; Sodality Officer 4; KSSN Officer 4; Speech 2; Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4; "Marianette" staff 4.

JAMES STERBENZ
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Track 3; Dramatics 2; Latin Club 1, 2; Co-Editor of the "Marianette" 4; Junior Athletic Association Class Officer 3.

PATRICIA TIERNEY
Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; "Marian" staff 4; "Marianette" staff 4; Speech 2; Basketball 1; Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4; Quill and Scroll 4.

TED YOAKAM
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1; Class Officer 2; "Marianette" staff 4.

Personalities

Name	Nickname	Favorite Expression	Ambition
Sandy Benso	Benny	"Holy Cow!!"	To move away from Capaldo
Betty Bladl	Betsy	"Wouldn't that kill ya!"	To travel
M. Margaret Bowers	Maggie	"Stupid!"	To be an air hostess
Jack Braithwaite	Uncle Joe	"Oh, you think so!"	To play tackle for Northwestern
Patricia Burman	Patty	"Gotta get my Biology"	To be an R.N.
Betty June Coyle	Tootie	"Love it, it's so gay"	To always be gay
Angelene Crespino	Angie	"Oh, brother"	To be a singer
Betty Mae Cronister	Mamie	"Ye Gads"	To be a secretary
Don De Gasperi	Donnie	"Aw nuts"	To be an aernautical engineer
Joe Abbe Deruy	Turtle	"Censored"	To be a naval aviator
Pete Esch	Speedy	"Give me a sheet of paper"	To be the world's fastest man
Gene Fields	Slim	"What do we have in chemistry"	To laugh and hold his eyes open at the same time
Betty Garrison	Betts	"My lands!!"	To be a singer and dancer
Edward Garrison	Eddie	"Hey! Betty"	To marry an heiress
David Jones	Bones	"Come with me to the casbah and I will buy you a pepsi cola"	To be a newspaper man
Otto Keller	Lightning	"Where's Neva?"	To be an undertaker
Helen Konec	Sugar	"I wouldn't say that"	Be a secretary
Betty Marie Leach	Stinky Davis	"Wait a minute"	To be a bar maid
Pat McCall	Mac	"Where's the encyclopedia?"	To be famous—
James Mooney	Red	"How's every little thing?"	To be a fullback like Ted Hoffman
Blanche Murry	Blank	"Smartie"	To enjoy life relaxing
Pat O'Connell	Shorty	"You're flyin' A Johnny Boy"	No comment
Therese O'Donnell	Tress	"How about that?"	To be a secretary
Arthur Pinsart	Peanuts	"Ain't that right, kid?"	To be an assistant coach
Bill Pope	Willy	"Do you know that?"	To be another Spigarelli
Joe Rizzio	Lover	"Hubba! Hubba! Hubba!"	Loaf the rest of my life
George Sheward	Wolf	"Seen any good looking girls?"	To be a famous aeronautical engineer
Robert Smith	Smittie	"Quit, ya fool—"	To be a millionaire
James Sterbenz	Beans	"Take it from me—"	To be a bachelor
Patricia Tierney	Pappy	"Read any good books lately?"	To be another Cleopatra
Ted Yoakam	Nookie	'Hello, Bab-by!"	To stay single

CLASS HISTORY

We, the Senior Class of '47, wish to review our previous years. We had so much fun. Of course, we had mishaps, too, but it was all so wonderful. Our advice to every class is to be sure to get all you can out of high school. We feel that we did. Just look at our accomplishments.

"Finished Yet Beginning"

FRESHMAN YEAR

Our big undertaking, starting a high school career, was underway. Duties for the year were assigned to Veldona Wattelet, President, Joe Deruy, Vice President, Jim Sterbenz, Secretary, Pete Esch, Treasurer. Sister Martin has a way that leads poor little Freshmen on. When the basketball season began, Keller, Sterbenz, Fields, Jones, O'-Connell, Yoakam, Pinsart, Smith, Mooney, and Esch made quite a showing. Betty Leach was voted our cheerleader. The post of class reporter was filled by her also. Father Hertel started the famous St. Mary's Minstrel—Freshmen participating. May found us graduates and also the eighth grade as we were the last ninth grade to graduate. Since that time there have been only eighth grade graduations. You see we were destined to make history.

JUNIOR YEAR

Oh, yes, Officers Deruy and Mooney were at it again as president and vice-president, with Rosemary Fedell as secretary and Betty June Coyle as treasurer—good little helpers. Main event! Heap Big Pow Wow! Junior-Senior Banquet! Sister Berchmans is really sharp when it comes to helping the Junior class give a banquet. Never let it be said that the Class of '47 went through high school without a single new face.. This year it was Bill Pope, Rosemary Fedell, Sandy Benso, and Betty and Eddie Garrison. Leach again, joined by Rosemary Fedell, headed a snappy pep club. Bill Pope saying, "Well, here is your Junior class reporter," served as our publicity agent. Candidates for King and Queen were none other than Miss Treasurer, Betty Coyle, and Mr. President, Joe Deruy. The first year for the J. A. A. saw Joe Deruy as its president and Gene Fields as vice-president.

SOPHOMORE YEAR

Some said it would be our hardest but we were there always prepared. Our officers were President, Joe Deruy; Vice President, Jim Mooney; Secretary, Betty Leach; Treasurer, Ted Yoakam. We saw the return of Betty June Coyle who had to leave us in the fifth grade, and the welcome mat was laid for Patricia Tierney. Veldona Wattelet, our beloved president of the previous year died February 16. She had been unable to start at St. Mary's that year as the bus didn't make Radley. Betty Leach (surprisingly enough) was cheerleader once more. Class Reporter's job was handled for our class by Bob Smith. This year our Marian contestants were Betty Leach and Ted Yoakam. Another howling success of a Minstrel with Sophomores right in there, was produced. Basketball saw most of those interested in their Freshmen year, showing keen form and slated for very good prospects. We were so good, but how could we help but be so under Sister Ferdinand's guidance?

SENIOR YEAR

Our Senior year approached with a quick heartbeat—last year at S. M. H.! It must be a fruitful one. After careful consideration, Gene Fields was elected class president, Pat O'Connell, vice-president, Blanche Murry, secretary and Arthur Pinsart, treasurer. But that's not all. Seniors hold more than one post so our Sodality officers were Prefect, George Sheward; Vice-Prefect, Joe Deruy; Secretary, Betty Coyle; Treasurer, Bill Pope. Leach was too old for yelling so underclassmen held the limelight in leading our yells. We must have learned much about selling annuals in our other three years for Sandy Benso and Otto Keller were Queen Marianette VII and King Marian VII. This year it wasn't just a reporter for the "Marianette." It was the entire staff led by co-editors Benso and Sterbenz for the first half of the year until Sterbenz who had been with us all the way had to change and go to Lillis High, Kansas City. Pat McCall very capably filled the position for the second semester. As you read through our annual you can see for yourself that Co-editors Betty Coyle and Betty Bladl have done a job fit for the kings. Rosemary Fedell, our colleague in the Junior class, moved to Wyoming. A fruitful year, indeed! Some of our splendid accomplishments—the Coronation Ball, Junior-Senior Banquet, Class Night, and then a wonderful finale, Graduation Day! Such memories! But we're just beginning!

Past

Jones
O'Connell
McCall
Sheward
Benso
Yoakam
Rizzio
Coyle
Keller
Burman
Leach
Konec
Murry
Bowers
DeGasperi
Pinsart
Sterbenz
Esch
Pope
Garrison
Bladl
O'Donnell
Deruy
Garrison
Tierney
Crespino

Present

SEPTEMBER

School began with much adoo
Pencils, papers, text books too.
On the Thirtieth came senior rings.
Wonder what the next month brings

JANUARY

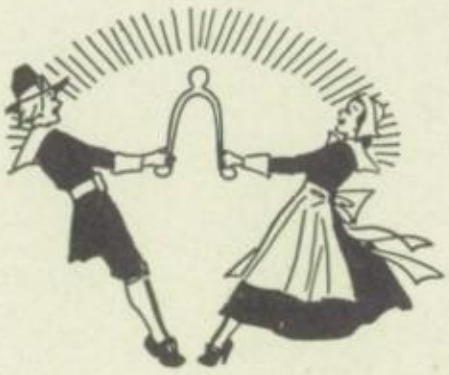
Annual selling contest. now begun,
King and Queen election, guess who'll run?
Semester exams, start the jig
All the students begin to dig.

OCTOBER

This glad month of K. S. S. U.,
Made the days of preparation all too few.
Senior dance on Hallowe'en day.
Everyone has fun that way.

FEBRUARY

The coronation ball all luster and sheen,
With Otto and Sandy as king and queen,
The fourteenth brought Valentine's Day,
The Panthers win a trophy, make this month
gay.



NOVEMBER

Thanksgiving vacation, not long enough.
Then back to school for another month.
Dolores Ahrens was all she seemed,
At the coronation as our football queen.

MARCH

The wearin' of the green, on St. Patrick's
feast,
A program, a dance to honor this priest.
Lent then comes for forty days,
Come, see, what are next month's ways.

DECEMBER

Election for the Marian gang,
Work on the annual begins with a bang.
Christmas Holidays, twelve days long.
Must be right, cause it can't be wrong.

APRIL

April comes, our retreat is here
The really best time of all the year.
Strenuous days—we must relax
For sneak days and picnics we make tracks.

MAY

Juniors give seniors a rare treat,
Junior-Senior Banquet is really neat.
Commencement day comes for seniors. one
and all,
But, Oh! you Juniors, just wait till next fall!

Junior Class Officers

James Scalet
President

Dolores Ahrens
Treasurer

JUNIORS
Motto:
"Onward and Upward"
Patron: St. Michael
Colors: Red and White
Flower: Carnation
Sponsor: Sister M. Berchmans

George Bogatie
Vice President

Ruth Postai
Secretary

Juniors

Eileen Bach

James Dean Bertone

Barbara Blancho

Marvin Boyd

Bob Bridwell

Harvey Castagno

Rosemary Delaney

Helen DeMeaux

Betty Jean Duffey

Shirley Farris

John Fern

Molly Gallagher

Joan Komac

Margorie Martinous

Pauline Hammerbacher

Elizabeth Kelley

Richard Monsour

Paul McWilliams

Pat Neil

Pat Kelley

Joe Peak

Mary Evelyn Peak

Katherine Rae

Kathleen Slavin

Thelma Tierney

Coletta Ursic

Patricia Wallace

Joe Wilson

Victor Zigmund

Sophomore

Class Officers

Mary Ann Brown
President

Frances Lyons
Treasurer

SOPHOMORES
Motto:
"Not at the top, but climbing"
Patron: St. Patrick
Colors: Green and Gold
Flower: Yellow Chrysanthemum
Sponsor: Sister M. Ferdinand

J. B. Towner
Vice President

Mary Ann Smardo
Secretary

Towner Brown

Lyons Smardo

Sophomores

Hope Abaloz

Joanne Arduino

Eugene Azamber

Cecilia Baldelli

Tommy George

Jeannie Bridwell

Bill Buche

Fidelis Doherty

Bennie Gerwert

A. J. Giacometti

Mary Frances Esch

Patty Flemming

Joe Lacina

Kathryn Laudick

Don Manning

Tommy Gerant

Joan Massmann

Billy McQuade

Mary Frances Meyer

Dolores Mingori

Betty Louise Welch

Barbara Mock

Walter Murphy

Dollie Murty

George Oberley

Patty Patterson

Shirley Ryan

Sylvia Silvia

Rose M Simoncic

Sammy Smith

Betty Sponsel

M Van Becelaere

Freshmen

Class Officers

John Benage
President

Elizabeth Sterbenz
Treasurer

FRESHMEN

Motto:

"The trail to success is narrow and winding"

Patron: Blessed Martin de Porres

Colors: Blue and Silver
Flower: Lily

Sponsor: Sister M. Martin

Keith Jones
Vice President

Robert Wilbert
Secretary

Freshmen

Kathryn Bettega

Francis Grant

Norma Jean Holland

Mary Ann Horgan

Regina Hutsey

Robert Kazmierski

Elizabeth Ann Lero

John Macek

Michael McKee

Barbara Miller

Rose Marie Neil

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Larry Parks

Charles Patterson

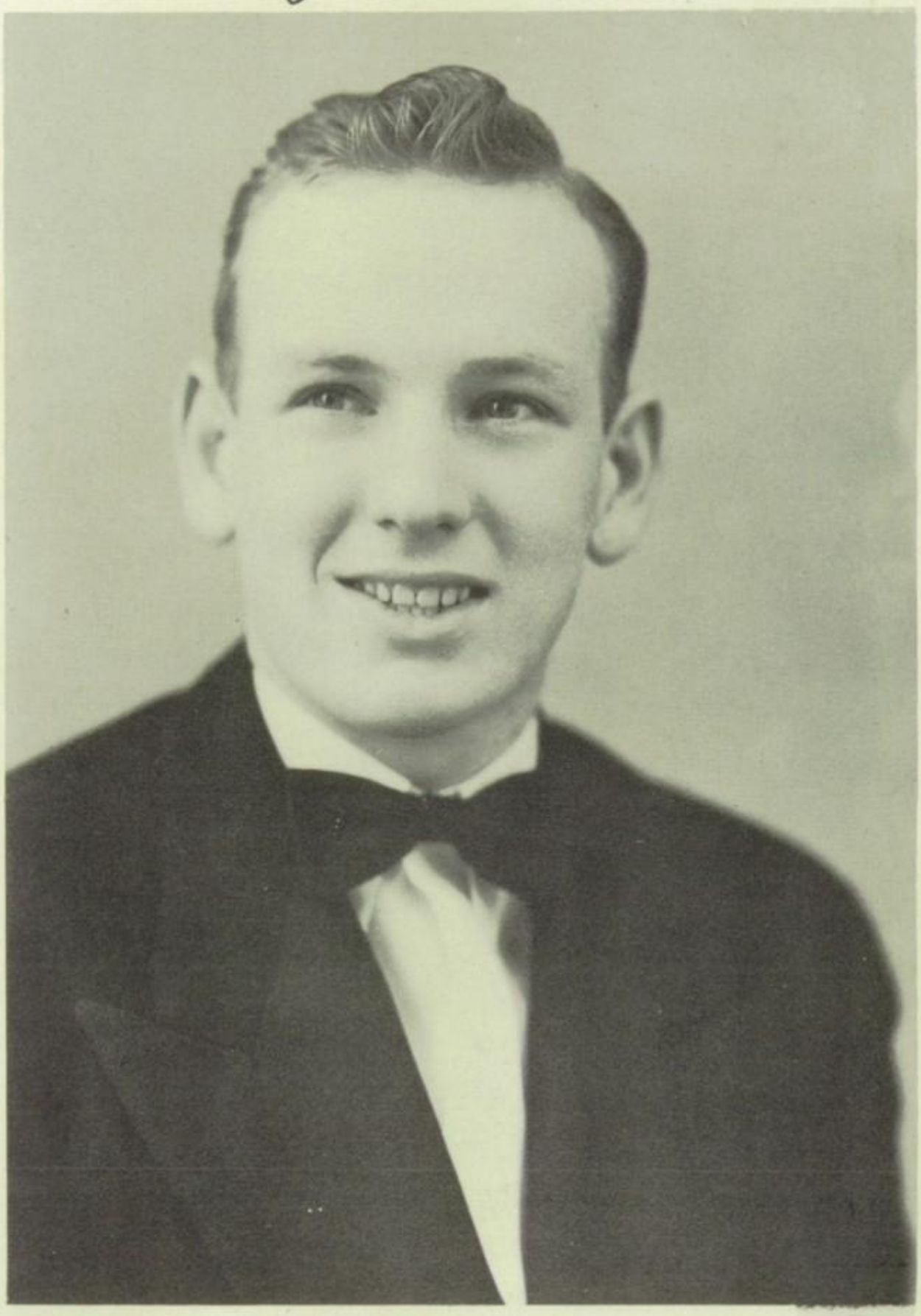
James Ryan

Patricia Schweitzer

Connie Wallace

Helena Wettstein

King Marian VII



Otto Keller

J. B. Towner

Keith Jones

Richard Monsour

Queen Marianette VII

Sandy Ann Benso

Joan Massmann

Norma Jean Holland

Eileen Bach

THE IDEAL BOY OR GIRL

Has complexion like
Gene Fields and Patricia

Has hair like
Jim Mooney and Sandy Benso

Has personality like
Arthur Pinsart and Pat Burman

Has eyes like
Joe Rizzio and
Angeline Crespino

Has a physique like Joe Deruy
and a figure like Betty Leach

Is witty like
James Sterbenz and Blanche

Has manners like
Pat McCall and Betty

Has a disposition like
Don DeGasperi and Betty

Should dance like
Bobby Smith and Theresa

Has a smile like
Otto Keller and Mary Margaret

Has dimples like David Jones and
hands like Betty Mae Cronister

Has a nose like
Ted Yoakam and Helen Konec

Is slow like Pete Esch

Is cute like
Pat O'Connell and Betty June

Is helpful like Edward Garrison

Is studious like Jack Braithwaite

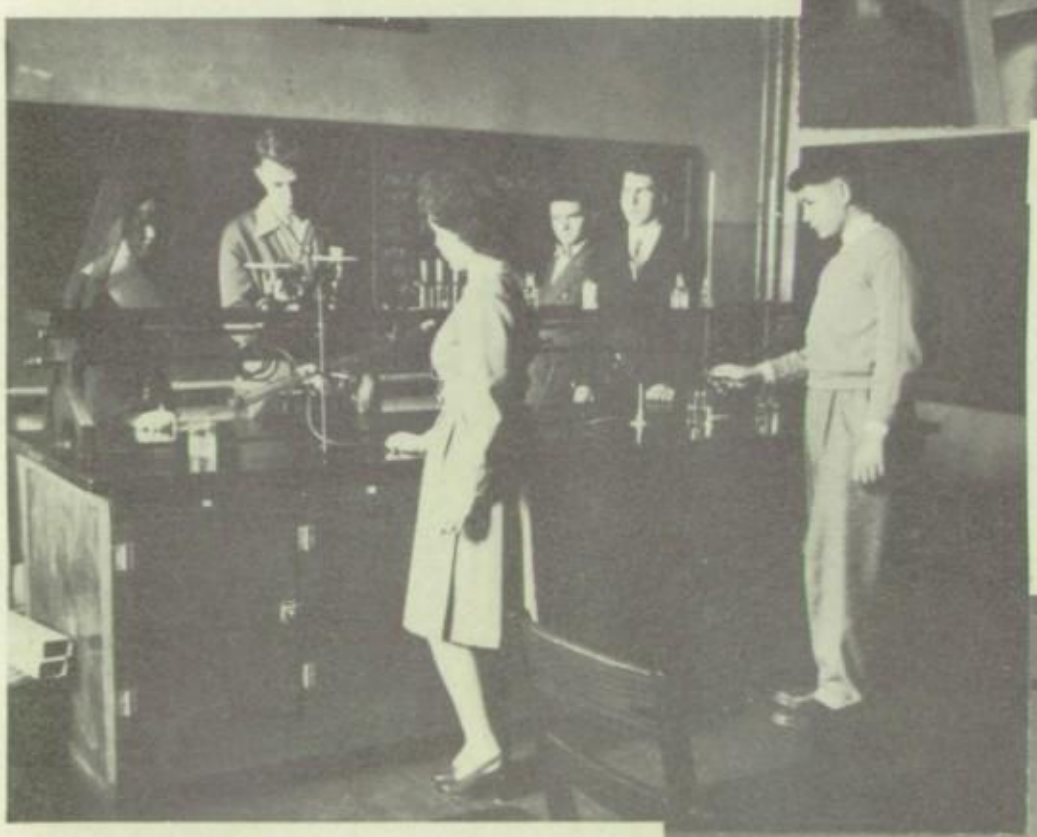
An athlete like Bill Pope

Is tall like George Sheward

Seniors at Work

Seniors learn to build a better world through Religion taught by Father Landis.

The efficient secretary must possess stenographic skill, a clear understanding of business customs, and sterling character and personality traits.—Sister M. Berchmans.



"Better things for better living through Chemistry."

"Seniors study the past to make their future bright."

Our Sodality this year has been very successful under the direction of George Sheward who was chosen prefect in September.

Sodality

The Sodality of Our Lady is a religious society formed to spread devotion to Our Blessed Mother and also to help shape the lives of Our Catholic youth so that in the future, the youth of today will be the good Catholic men and women of tomorrow. Our theme for this year is "Christ's Life, My Life."

This year St. Mary's High had the honor of being host to the Kansas State Sodality Union. This is the second time that St. Mary's has been sponsor to the State meeting.

Pictured above are the officers of St. Mary's Sodality. They are: Prefect, George Sheward, Vice Prefect, Joe Abbe Deruy, Secretary, Betty June Coyle, Treasurer, Bill Pope, and their capable Moderator Sister M. Berchmans.

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School of Catholic Leadership

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The Sodalist Radiating Christ

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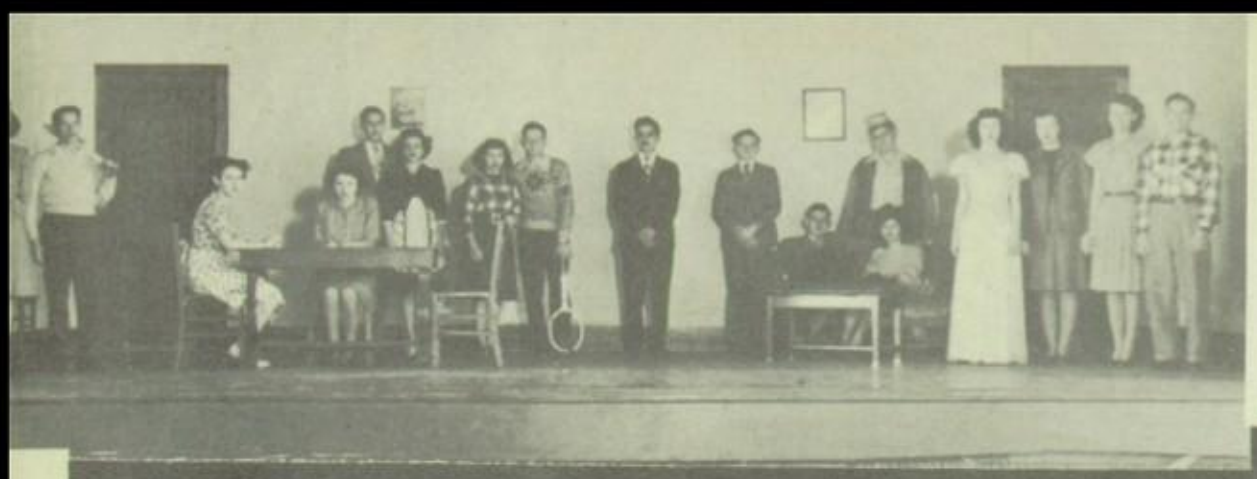
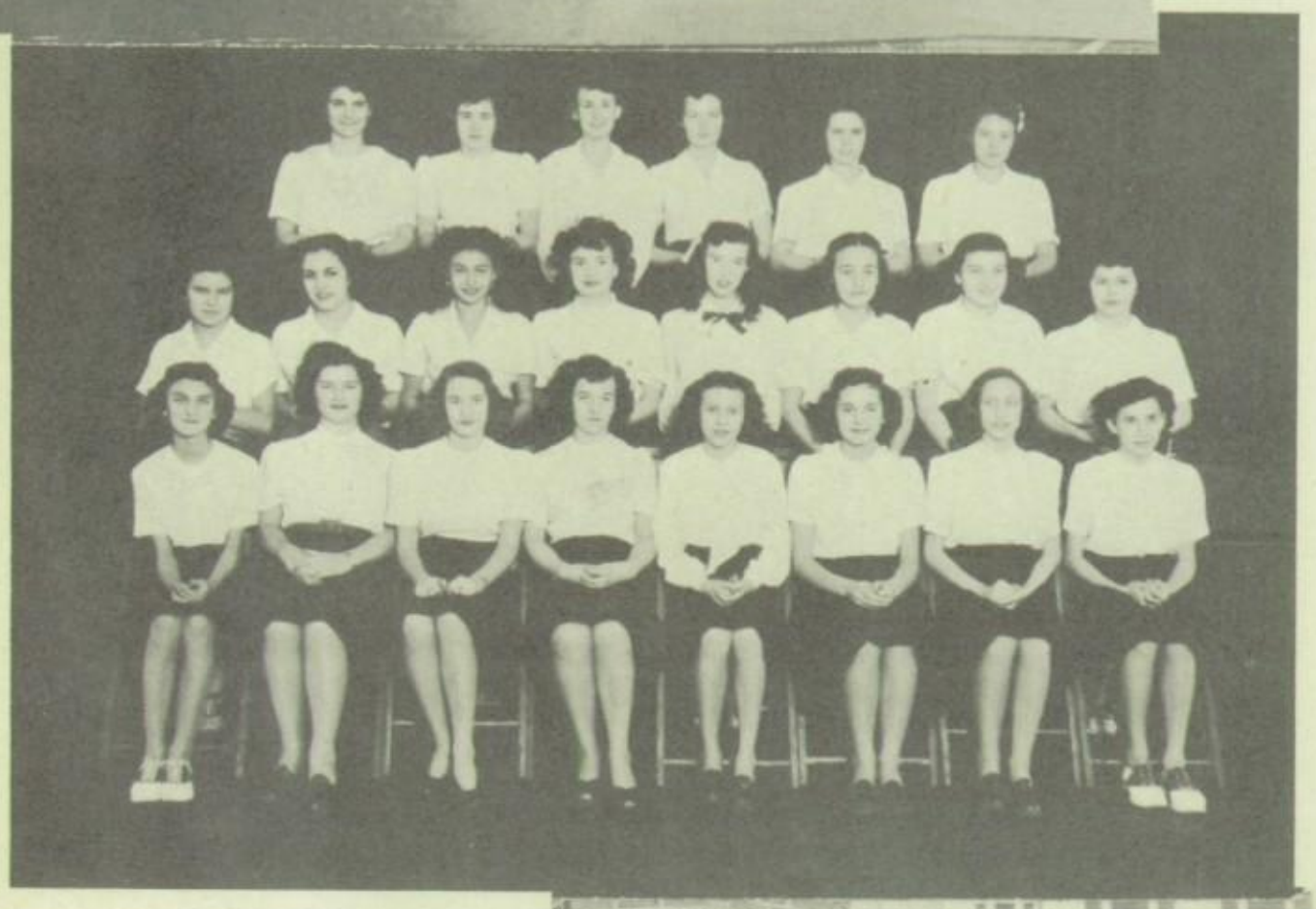


"Don't Take My Penny"

presented by the Junior class
under the direction of Sister Berchmans.



Glee Club and Band

directed by Sister Euphrasia.

The only art taken from

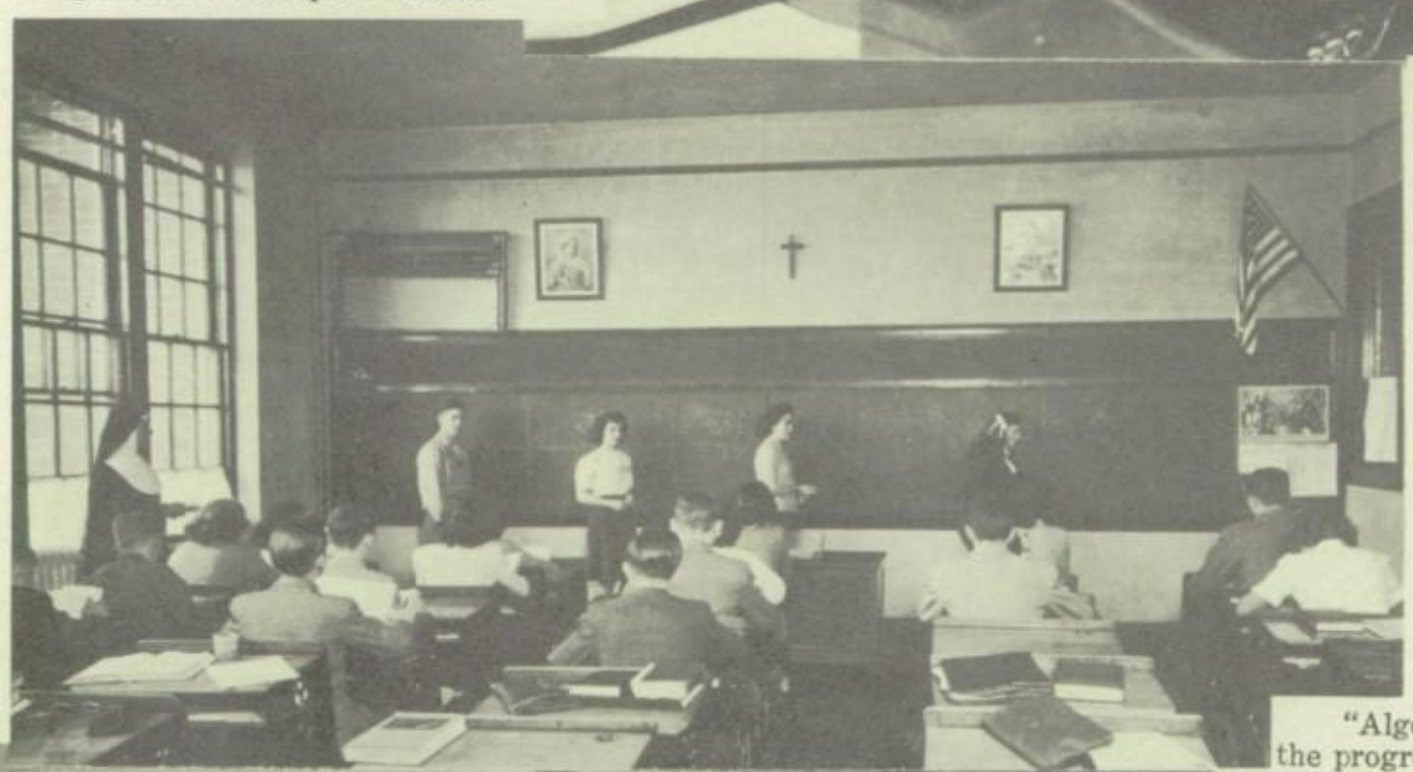
earth to heaven is music.

Choir under the direction

of Sister Ferdinand.

"Learning to speak and write effectively for our present and future lives."

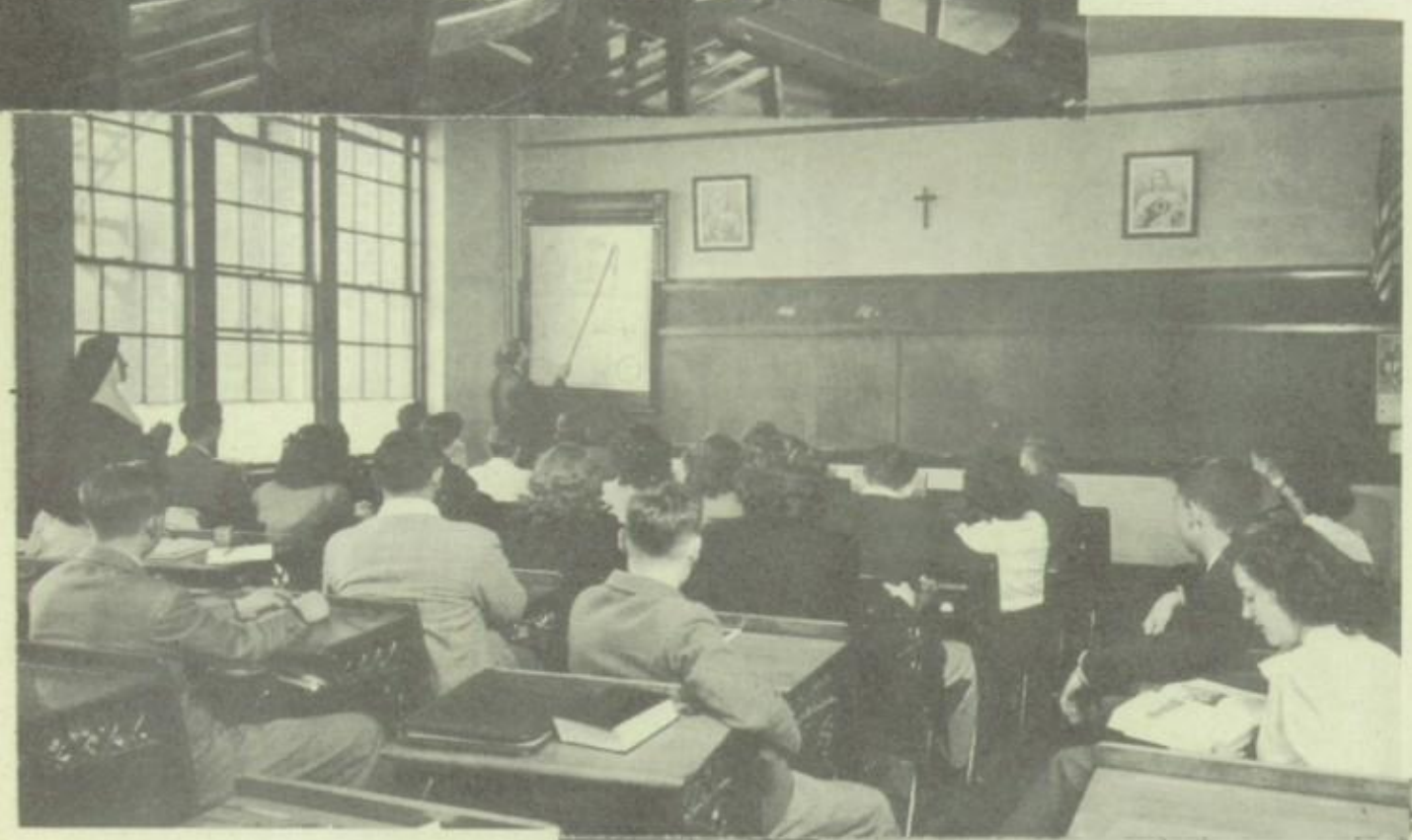
"The good neighbor policy is the high ideal of the Spanish class."



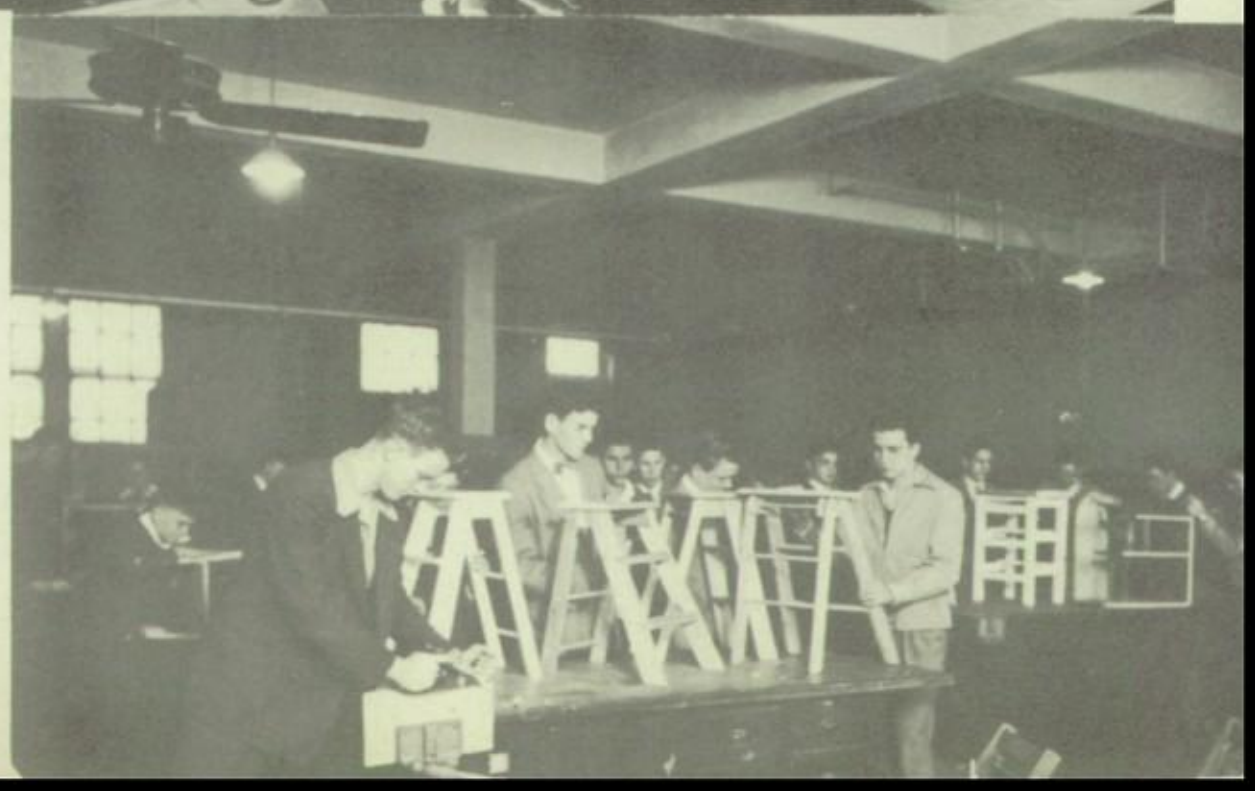
"Algebra has a definite place in the progress of our nation."

"Geometry in nature, industry, and science work out the problems of every day life."

"Through science and biology we learn to appreciate the beauties and wonders of the world."



"You can't be without it in the commercial world."



Accuracy and precision are developed in the Industrial Art classes taught by Mr. Spigarelli

Clubs

Through the night and through the day
We, the V.V.V.L. trudge on our way.
Not all work—not all play
"Follow our torch" is what we say.

LATIN CLUB OFFICERS
Standing—Betty Jean Duffy, program chairman; Sister M. Linus, sponsor; Barbara Blancho, treasurer. Seated—Joe Peak, vice president; Pat McCall, President; Eileen Bach, secretary; Victor Zigmund, awards chairman.

Members of the Quill and Scroll, international honorary society for high school journalists, take as their slogan "A good pen is mightier than a sharp sword."

Joe Abbe Deruy, James Sterbenz, Blanche Murry, Betty Coyle, Betty Leach and Pat McCall.

Students of today will soon play. important roles in applying science to our civilization of tomorrow.

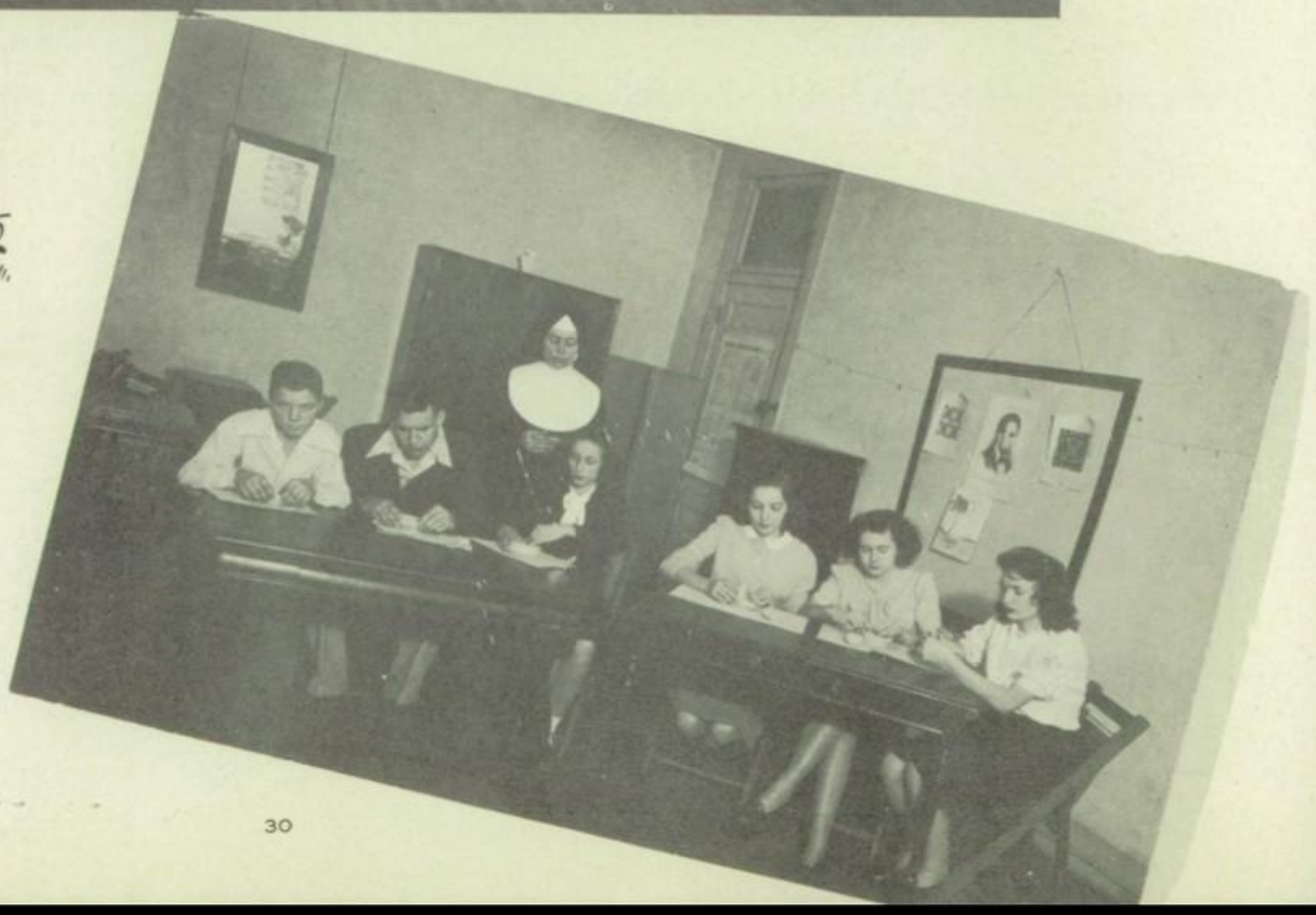
CHEMBIOGEN CLUB OFFICERS
Betty June Coyle, Secretary-Treasurer
George Oberley, Biology representative
Joe Abbe Deruy, President
Pete Esch, Senior representative
Gene Fields, Vice President
Keith Jones, General Science representative

Athletic Board
Ruth Postai Robert Smith
Barbara Blancho Patty Patterson

"It's a top for my pie. I saw a picture of it in the magazine."

"The strength of the nation lies in its homes."

Art for arts sake



THE MARIANETTE

VOLUME 6 ST. MARY'S HIGH SCHOOL, PITTSBURG, KANSAS, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1946 Number 4

Party is Success

Wednesday evening, October 30, a Hallowe'en party and dance was held in the gym of St. Mary's High.

The card tables that were set up around the dance floor were decorated with orange and black crepe paper. Candles in the form of witches, pumpkins, cats and jack-o-lanterns were hung from the ceiling, one over the juke-box and one other over the main entrance. Black and orange crepe paper was hung all over the ceiling and extended from the light.

New records to be played for the evening were donated by Bob Smith.

Refreshments of sandwiches and Pepsi-Cola were served to about 90 guests.

We wish to extend our thanks to the chaperones Mrs. Benso, Mrs. Leach, Mrs. Burman, Mrs. Tierney and Mrs. Toeller.

A good time was enjoyed by everyone there. Believe it or not all the boys danced. We hop[illegible] the "out of school" people e[illegible] themselves. Sandy [illegible]

TREBLE CLEF CLUB MEETS

Junior Treble Clef Clu[illegible] members from St. Ma[illegible] year. It is quite an ho[illegible] member of this clu[illegible] background is a [illegible] quirement. Mary A[illegible] Mary Frances Esch, M[illegible] Smardo, Patty Patterson, [illegible]erine Rae and Betty Leach, are the ones who share this privilege and represent S.M.H.

Officers for the year are President Joan Hughes who fills very well the shoes of Mariclare Benage, who for two years represented St. Mary's as President of the club. Vice President, Marilyn Seymour; Secretary, Mitzi Angwin, and Treasurer, Betty Leach.

Do you rememb[illegible] bac[illegible]
Our school b[illegible]
J[illegible]
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A[illegible]
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Th[illegible]
We[illegible]

[illegible] ollow up [illegible] this swell guy?
(Willin' are you? So am I.)
Let us tune in at four o'clock
On each Wednesday, and never
[illegible] others

Living Rosary

As everyone knows, October is the month of the Holy Rosary, and, as everybody knows, or should know, the last Sunday is

Queen is Chosen

At our pep assembly Thursday, Nov. 7, candidates for the coveted honor of football queen, were nominated. The nomina-

Enter in National Contest

In a class meeting held in October, two seniors from St. Mary's high school were honored by their fellow students when they were elected to compete with seniors from other high schools throughout the United States and territories for the 121 four-year college scholarships and more than 600 fifty-dollar [illegible]rtificates of merit being offer[illegible] again this year by the Pepsi-[illegible] Scholarship Board.

[illegible]hosen from among 32 of their [illegible]mates as the students "most [illegible] make important contri[illegible] human progress," these [illegible]ing boys and girls will [illegible] other Kansas high [illegible]ool seniors for the scholarships and certificates of merit which are set aside specifically for this state. They are Pat McCall and Bob Smith.

At 9:00 a.m. Friday, Feb. 14, in St. Mary's High School these [illegible]ates will take a special [illegible] test which has been [illegible]ly prepared for this com[illegible] by the College Entrance [illegible]tion Board, an independ[illegible]ing board composed of [illegible]atives of America's [illegible]lleges and universities. [illegible]ng to the principal, [illegible]M. Linus, every precau[illegible] been taken by the Pepsi-[illegible]holarship Board to insure the uniform testing necessary for complete fairness to all candidates throughout the country. The tests will arive at her office in a sealed package and are not to be opened until the day of the examination and then only in the presence of the canddiates. Detailed instructions for the testing procedures will be enclosed, and, according to Sister Linus, she has been urged to see that the two faculty members

Football Queen

Doloros Ahrens

Sandy Benso

Shirley Ryan

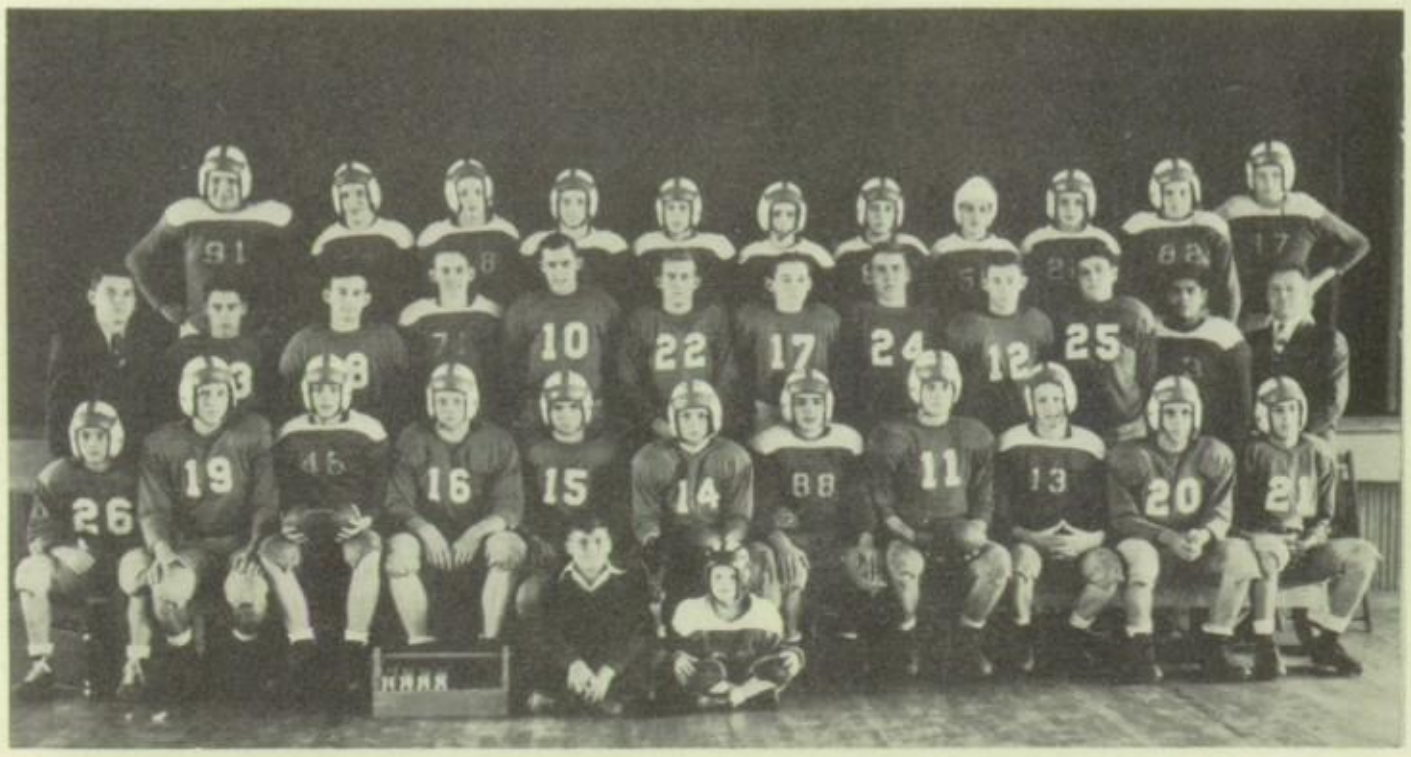
Attendants

Sports

First place B team M. B. L. Basketball.
Second place in M. B. L. Football.
Second place in M. B. L. Basketball.
Second place in M. B. L. Tournament Basketball.
Third place in District Tournament Basketball.

Our cheerleaders are from left to right: Dolores Ahrens, Barbara Blancho, Dolly Murty and Betty Lero. Without these enthusiastic cheerleaders and the pep-club it would be almost an impossibility for the Panthers to have won their games. The girls have given splendid inspiration to the team this season.

Football



1st row—Mickey Manfre (Water Boy), Ronnie Wilbert (Mascot).
2nd row—Pete Boyd, Otto Keller, Ted Yoakam, Jim Mooney, Joe Deruy, Arthur Pinsart, Pat Neil, Pat O'Connell, Pete Esch. Joe Rizzio, George Bogatie.
3rd row—George Oberly, trainer, J. B. Towner, James Lee Scalet, David Jones, Bennie Gerwert, Bill Pope, Paul McWilliams, Jim Sterbenz, Bob Bridwell, Gene Fields, Tom George, Mr. Adolph Spigarelli, Coach.
4th row—Jimmie Beretone, Mike McKee, Bob Wilbert, Joe Lacina, Keith Jones, Pat McCall, Jimmy Ryan, Francis Lyons, Jack Braithwaite, Charles Patterson.

Mr. Adolph Spigarelli came to St. Mary's as football and basketball coach for the season of '46-'47. Before leaving for the service in the Navy in 1943, Coach Spigarelli coached the Panthers in the District and Regional Tournaments winning first and second places respectively.

As coach and industrial arts instructor Mr. Spigarelli has fulfilled the needs and expectations of St. Mary's High.

George Oberly

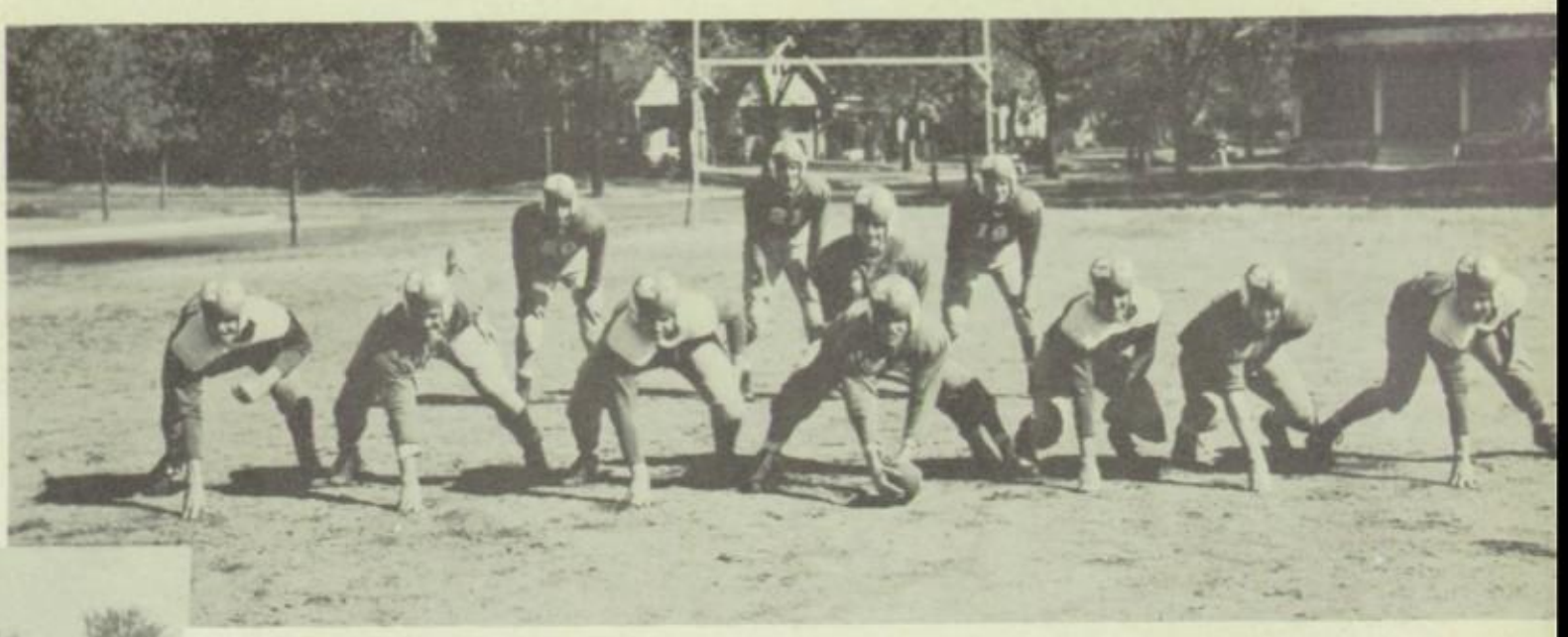
FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

St. Mary's.... 6	Frontenac 12
St. Mary's....25	Minden 13
St. Mary's.... 0	Mulberry 21
St. Mary's....33	Weir 0
St. Mary's.... 0	Mineral 6
St. Mary's.... 6	McCune 14
St. Mary's....13	Minden 20
St. Mary's....19	Mulberry 6
St. Mary's....37	Weir 6
St. Mary's....18	Mineral 0
Total 157	Total 98

George Oberly and Jim Yoakam have aided the coach and team by doing numerous things in the way of training and managing our football and basketball teams. To them go the thanks of the team and best of luck.

Ronnie Wilbert

Jim Yoakam



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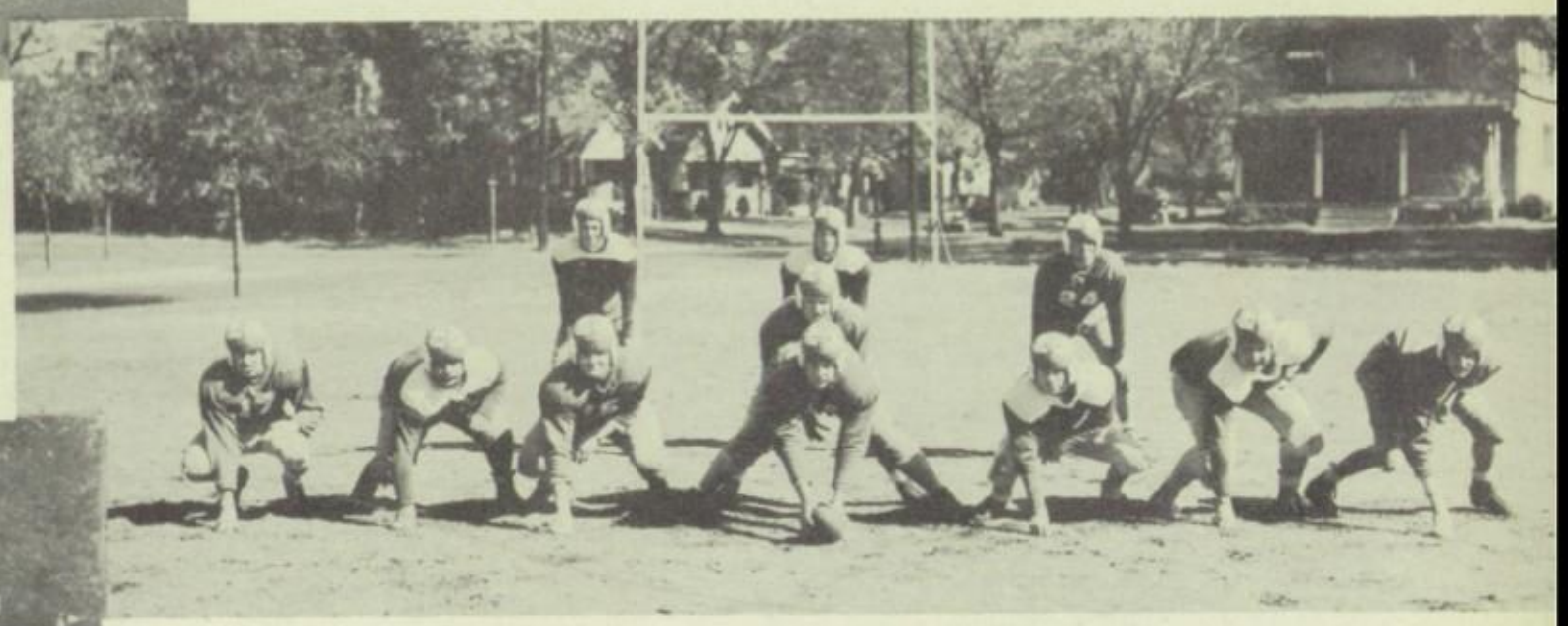

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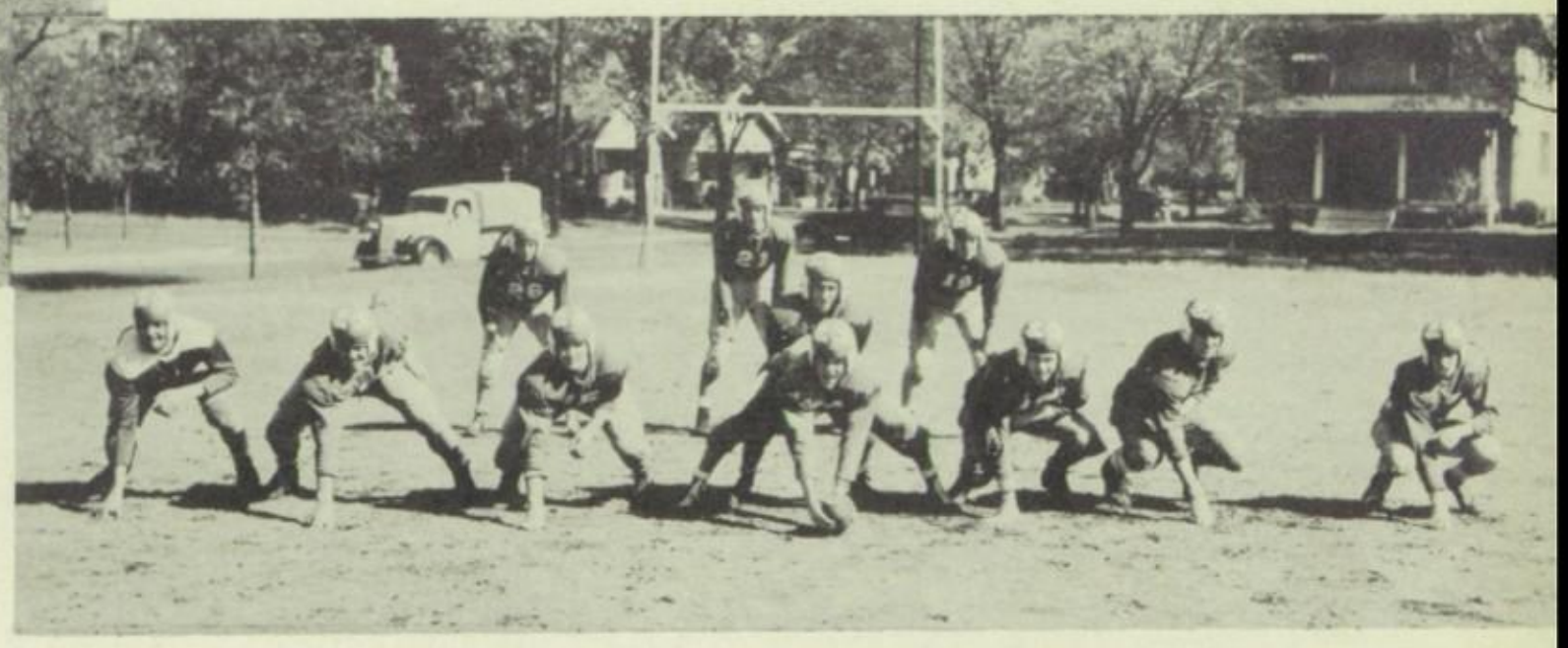

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Otto Keller

Ted Yoakam

James Mooney

Pat O'Connell

David Jones

Paul McWilliams

Pete Esch

James Scalet

Bennie Gerwert

George Bogatie

Basketball

From left to right in the back row the players are as follows: Jim Ryan, J. B. Towner, Bill Busche, James Sterbenz, Don Manning, Robert Wilbert, Pete Boyd. Second row: Paul McWilliams, David Jones, Otto Keller, Ted Yoakam, James Mooney, Pat O'Connell, Pete Esch, Benny Gerwert, George Bogatie, James Scalet. Bottom row: George Oberly and Mr. Spigarelli.

The '46-'47 basketball team won 14 and lost 6. They also won 3 trophies. The second team came through 100% winning 16 games and losing 0.

SCHEDULE

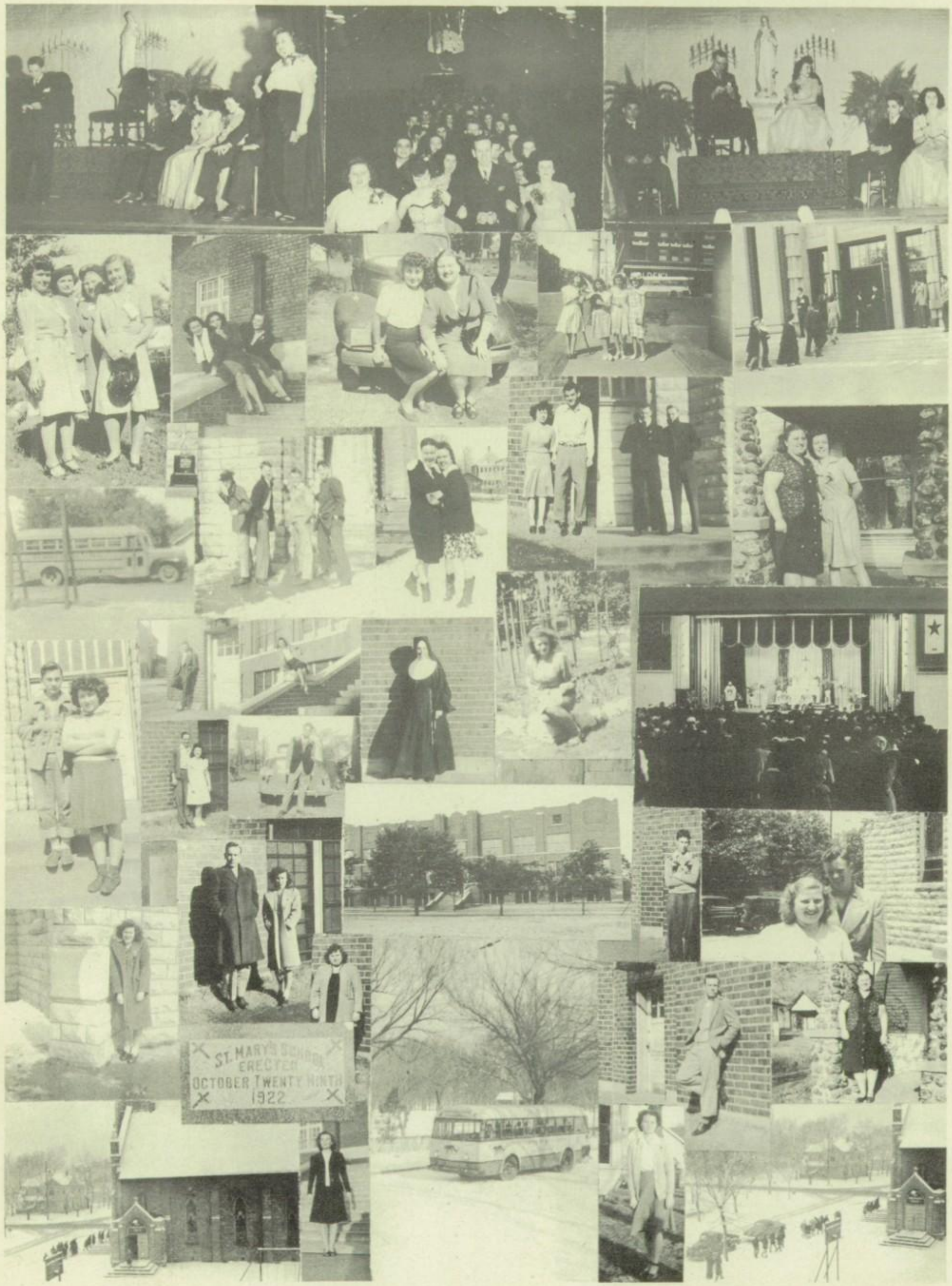
December—			
St. Mary's	33	St. Paul	12
St. Mary's	39	Alumni	28
St. Mary's	35	St. Peters	29
St. Mary's	24	Frontenac	26
January—			
St. Mary's	48	Minden	26
St. Mary's	34	College High	31
St. Mary's	42	Mulberry	38
St. Mary's	35	Weir	25
St. Mary's	39	Mineral	27
February—			
St. Mary's	52	Liberal	27
St. Mary's	35	St. Peters	38
St. Mary's	54	Minden	27
St. Mary's	40	College High	47
St. Mary's	24	Mulberry	36
St. Mary's	36	Weir	15
St. Mary's	34	Mineral	30
St. Mary's	48	Liberal	27

MBL Tournament

St. Mary's	45	Weir	22
St. Mary's	32	College High	34
	77		56

District Tournament—

St. Mary's	40	Arma	30
St. Mary's	31	Frontenac	34
St. Mary's	42	Arcadia	36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Almon, Mrs. Dot
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Amershec, Tony
Arma Elevator
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Aubert, Mrs. Ed
Azamber, Phyllis
B.
Bach, Margaret
Banke, Mrs. Tony
Banke, Irene
Bath, T. W.
Batten's Bakery
Baugh's Prescription Shop
Beasley Tire & Appliance
Beitzinger, Joseph
Benage, Dr. C. H.
Benage, Mar.clare
Benefield, Mrs. W.
Benso, Mike
Bellamy Barber Shop
Benelli Jeweiry
Berry, Mrs Ray
Besse Hotel
Bertea, Margaret
Bertone, Tony
Bicknell, Bob
Blue Bird Inn
Boldrini, Mrs. Frank
Botefuhrs Music Store
Bowlmor, The
Bowl, The
Bozick, Mrs. Frank
Bray, Mrs. Alena
Brown, John W.
Brown, Mrs. Pearl
Brown, Mrs. E. W.
Brown, Mrs. Tom
Brown, Mrs. Mary
Brunetti, Nondis
Buche, Joe
Bumgarner's
Burke, Jack
Burlingame, William
C. & A.
Carter, Dr. P. C.
Castagno, Mrs. James
Caputo, Joe
Cheek, Dr. C. A.
Cherry, Jack C.
Cicero, Sam
Cicero, Mrs. Dave
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Clements, Mrs. Ralph
Clemens, Mrs. Ira
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Collar, Mrs. Charles
Colles, Mrs. John
Conley, Dr. J. G.
Cripe, Mr. A. J.
Cripe, A. J. Bakery
Cronister, Mary
Crowder, Arthur L.
Crown Drug Store
Crown Beauty Shop
Daugherty, Bill
Daugherty's
Davies, Donna
Delaney's Grocery
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Delux Barber Shop
Diller, Mrs. Clark
Doll, Mrs. Sue
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Dunn, H. J.
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Herman, Bob
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Herbeck, Shirley
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Hooper, Mr. and Mrs. D.
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